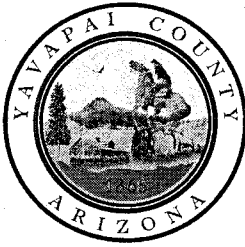


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The Honorable Kristin K. Mayes, Chairman  
Arizona Corporation Commission  
1200 W. Washington  
Phoenix, AZ 85007

Re: Extension Policy – 1000-Foot Free Line Extension  
Docket #E-01345A-08-0172

Dear Commissioner Mayes:

As Yavapai County District 3 Supervisor, the minority vote, and as a private citizen who pays his electric bills, I am writing to support the Arizona Corporation Commission's decision to eliminate the 1000-foot free line extension.

Your decision to charge the developers and end users the cost to obtain their electricity rather than have all other electric customers subsidize their cost has my full support. I do not mind paying my bill for the electricity I use. I do not like paying on top of that an additional cost so someone else can receive **free** service.

Your decision to rescind the 1000-foot free line extension will encourage Planned Area Development instead of lot splits. This may be one of the best tools to combat lot splits that I have witnessed since serving the citizens of District 3. Your decision will also encourage solar and wind generation versus electricity.

I do not buy the arguments of those opposed to your decision (i.e. lack of public comment; drastic reduction of land values; discourages new home construction; eliminates jobs and discourages growth). I believe that if someone wants to develop an area they will figure out a way to pay for the electricity and/or look at alternatives.

Thank you for your attention and good luck on implementing your new policy. You have my full support.

Best regards,

A.G. "Chip" Davis  
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